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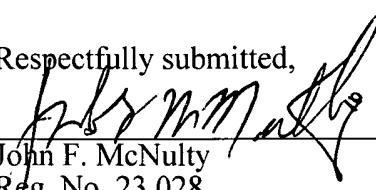
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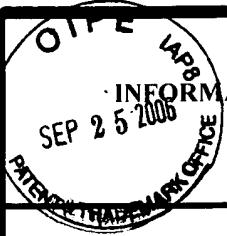
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(AA) U.S. 6,793,795, Meyer, et al, dated September 21, 2004.

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